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SHORTAGE OF MANPOWER IN BHEL
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Will the Minister of HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Bharat Heavy Electricals Limited (BHEL) is facing shortage of manpower and is finding very difficult to achieve its targets;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether there is any proposal to increase the manpower in BHEL to achieve its targets;

(d) if so, the details thereof; and

(e) if not, the reasons therefor?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF HEAVY INDUSTRY, MINISTRY OF HEAVY INDUSTRIES AND PUBLIC ENTERPRISES (SMT. KANTI SINGH)

(a) & (b): No Sir. Bharat Heavy Electricals Limited (BHEL) is continuously augmenting its manpower as per the requirements and meeting the targets.

(c) & (d): Yes Sir. BHEL is gearing up to achieve increased targets in the 11th Plan period by matching the manpower with the workload. Keeping in view capacity augmentation, high order book position and other expansion plans, BHEL has already recruited around 1,600 fresh man-power last year and is planning to induct another 20,000 employees in next five years.

(e): Does not arise.